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HE STOOD BY CHIEF JUSTICE CHAMBERS

REGARDLESS OF GERMANY.

A WAR OF PROCLAMATIONS.

THE REPRESENTATIVES OF EACH POWER

ISSUING THEM FOR AND AGAINST THE

CHIEF JUSTICE-BERLIN TREATY IS

AMERICAN LAW.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Feb. 23.—The

steamer Mowat arrived to-day from

Sydney Wellington, Samoa, Fiji and Hon-

olulu.

Mail advices from Samoa via Sydney

show that after the scene in the Apia

courthouse, when the British and Amer-

ican consuls showed in the stronger

position, the British consuls were given

standing by British consul Maxe. In response

(consul Osborne said that it was his duty

to stand by the chief justice and his de-

cision in the kinship case and he would

do so. It was later that he had no man

to stand by him but there were plenty of United

States men-of-war in the background,

and "don't you forget it."

MANY PROCLAMATIONS.

At Apia the interval of waiting for in-

structions from Europe is being filled up

by a war of proclamations issued by the

German Consul and Dr. Haffner, the low

American Consul and the British Consul, the

M. S. Porpoise, on the one hand, and the

British Consul, on the other. The British

Consul issued a proclamation stating that

if Chief Justice Chambers was per-

mitted to hold court the British Consul

would allow to hold court the British Consul

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borne's Pills. Write to J. L. Wood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

SPECIAL CLIPPING

OTHER MEMBERS

(Continued from First Page.)

"that the committee was much more im-

pressed with the importance of holding

rigorously to the strict letter of the con-

stitution as applicable to the military

officer than as applicable to the appointee

of a post made by the Congress of which

the appointee was or is a member. The

majority of the committee in its defini-

tion of the word "office" and leaves for

"the curious to determine" how much

membership on a commission is or is not

an office within the most technical

meaning of the term."

The minority report is quite lengthy.

Representative Parker, of New Jersey,

another member of the committee in a

separate minority favoring merely the sus-

pension of members holding military

office for the time when they held such

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GEORGE WEISGER

DIED YESTERDAY

THE GALLANT SOLDIER HAD BEEN ILL TWO

MONTHS.

TO BE BURIED IN PETERSBURG

REMAINS TO BE TAKEN TO THAT CITY TO-

MORROW—Sketch of the Life of the

Warrior Who Fought in the

Mexican and Civil Wars.

General David A. Weisger, a veteran

of two wars, and a distinguished officer

in one of them, died at his residence,

No. 28 east Grace street, at 5:15 o'clock

yesterday morning.

He had been ill for two months

or more and death was not unexpected.

He was surrounded by all the members

of his family when the end did not ar-

rive until last evening from Harrison-

burg.

The remains will be interred at Peters-

burg, where the General spent most of

his life since the war. The body will be

taken over on the 11:30 train to the mor-

row and will be accompanied by the fam-

ily, and committees from Malheur's

Brigade and Lee Camp. The Camp de-

tail will meet at 10:30 at their hall, 10

St. Paul's church in Petersburg, but the

arrangements have not all been made.

SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

General Weisger was eighty years old

on the 23d of February, 1899. He looked

ten years younger. The General enjoyed

good health until his fatal illness came

on. He would not have passed for a

man of seventy years.

General Weisger belonged to one of the

most honored Virginia families. He was

born at the late General's residence, in

Richmond. His father, General Weisger,

was a well-to-do people, and he had

excellent educational advantages.

He never attended a military school.

His mother was Miss Leneva Tabbs

Smith, daughter of Colonel William

Smith.

The celebration was presided over by

Rev. Dr. McWhorter, president of the

college, who, in his address, with

some striking reminiscences of the first

intermediate celebration he had attended.

There were quite a number of visitors

from the Hill, among them Miss Peck of

Staunton; Miss Lyle of Lexington; Miss

Thornton and Miss Marshall, of Smith-

ville; and Miss Wicker of Farmville. Miss

Erleigh of Richmond.

On Saturday night, "The Private Sec-

retary" was given in the college

chapel by the Hampton-Sidney Dramatic

Club.

Dr. McWhorter led to-day for Rich-

mond, when he goes on a tour through

the northern cities in the interest of law

colleges, to which he is much more than

any living man.

AFFAIRS AT HOWARDSVILLE.

High Water Prevented People from

Crossing to Get Supplies.

HOWARDSVILLE, VA., February 23.—

Special.—The severe cold weather caught

many people short of food and provisions.

Many families living near the James

river, and got to the stores in this place

for a week and were in consequence quite

a little inconvenienced. There was much

suffering among the poorer people.

The snow has nearly all melted and the

river is out of its banks and crossing is

If you're gray

before forty there's

something wrong.

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this command on the afternoon of Satur-

day, the 20th of April, 1861, when it was

ordered that those and other local troops

about Norfolk would be called upon to

capturing the navy yard, then in the pos-

session of the federal forces. From that

day until the 20th of April, 1861, was the

Army of Northern Virginia and down

the line at Appomattox, General Weisger

was constantly in the field, except

when disabled by wounds received in

battle, and of the best record in the

history of the army. He was a better record

for courage and dash. In the month of

July, 1861, upon the organization of the

Twelfth Virginia Regiment of Infantry,

which embraced all of the original volun-

teer companies of Petersburg and sev-

eral others, Major Weisger was chosen its

colonel, a position which he held until

after the battle of the Crater, when he

made a brilliant charge with a com-

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Dresses starts this morning. Mothers, you can't

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dozen White Dresses and Skirts go in this sale to-day

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